BETTER NOT RESIST U.S. TROOPS, IS ADVICE IN NOTE TO CARRANZA

Administration, in Phrased Strongly Document, Flatly Refuses to Withdraw Soldiers - First Chief Is Taken to Task.

Flat refusal either to withdraw troops from the border or to prevent future re-entry into Mexico, together with a thinly veiled threat as to what will bappen if any organized resistance is offered by Mexican troops, was sent to the de facto government of that country by Secretary of State Lansing yesterday.

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The communication, intended as a reply to the Carranza note of May 22, demanding the immediate withdrawal of all American forces, was declared by diplomats last night to be a "verbal siap in the face." Addressed to the Mexican secretary of foreign affairs, it all but disregards the laws of diplomatic verbiage, and denounces the conduct and policy of the Mexican government in terms cannot be misunderstood.

The usual round-about elaborately

The usual round-about elaborately phrased and generally intricate style of diplomatic communications was totally abandoned by Secretary Lansing. In-stead he hit straight out from the shoulder. The wording is terse and brusque. There is no quibbling. Carranza is flatly told that he has not only exhausted this country's patience, but has forfeited its

Charged with Bad Faith.

The de facto government is flatly charged with bad faith. It is accused not only, of failing to keep its promise to capture and punish Villa and the numerous other bandits who have been sweeping down on unprotected villages on American soil, but of also giving those bandits "encouragement and aid" in their "campaigns of loot, arson and rapine." The United States government is force-

The United States government is forced to conclude, the note declares, that Carranza and his subordinates are either unable, or unwilling, to cope with the situation. In either case, it is declared, action by the United States is necessity. sary. Carranza is bluntly informed that the policy of "watchful waiting" has been abandoned and that hereafter the United States government will not trust

tempting to make political capital out of its Mexican course and that this country is desirous of seizing Mexico for territorial expansion. The "long suffering patience" of the American government is cited in refutation of the first charge. As to the second charge, Carranza is pointedly informed that the United States has had opportunity after opportunity for intervention for several years and that pointedly informed that the point of the poi

Mexican outrages against American lives

Mexican outrages against American lives and property for the past three years. Secretary Lansing's whole view of the situation is summed up in the excerpt:

"Candor compels me to add that the unconcealed hostlity of the subordinate ...litary commanders of the de facto government toward American troops engaged in pursuing the Villa bands, and the efforts of the de fact government to compel their withdrawal from Mexican territory by threats and show of military. ritory by threats and show of military force, instead of by aiding in the capture of the outlaws, constitute a menace to the safety of the American troops and to the peace of the border."

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Salient Points in United States' Note Refusing to Quit Mexico

While this government would deeply regret such a result (an attack upon Pershing's column), it cannot recede from its settled determination to maintain its national rights and to perform its full duty in preventing further invasions of the territory of the United States.

As long as there is any evidence of an intention on the part of the de facto government or its military commanders to use force against the American troops instead of co-operating with them, the government of the United States will not permit munitions of war or machinery for their manufacture to be exported from this country to Mexico.

It is well known that the forces of the de facto government have not carried on a vigorous pursuit of the remaining bandits and that no proper distribution of forces to prevent invasion of American territory has been

So far has the indifference of the de facto government to atrocities gone that some of these leaders (bandits) have received not only the protection of that government but encouragement and aid as well.

Marauding attacks, as they continue to be made, show that the Mexican government is unable to repress them. This inability only makes stronger the duty of the United States to prevent them.

It is unreasonable to expect the United States to withdraw its forces from Mexican territory, or to prevent their entry again.

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District Building Workers, July Fourth Fireworks Fund Ready for War Service, Go Into Camp Today.

Sixteen employes of the District gov-ernment and members of the National Guard, left yesterday in response to President Wilson's mobilization call, to United States government will not trust him, but will protect American lives and property itself. Neither is Carranza to be trusted longer to punish bandits for outrages already perpetrated, the note says. Instead, the United States has taken the matter of punishment into its own hands.

"The most effective method of president wilson's mobilization call, to plot their comrades in the ranks. These method of president wilson's mobilization call, to plot their comrades in the restoration call, to will not trust will not the committee in the restoration and property itself. Neither is Carranza to men will be granted leave while on militation without civilian pay. The committee in charge, is making a public appeal for funda. With the Independence Day fund far from complete, the committee on first works. E. C. Graham, finds itself unable to proceed with the contract. The public is therefore asked to send in a contribution at once."

its own hands.

"The most effective method of preventing raids." the note says. "Is to visit punishment or destruction on the raiders. It is precisely this plan which the United States desires to follow."

No aid will be counted on from Cartanza's forces in the future in capturing the bandits wanted for scores of American murders. The note mentions the fact that two of the leaders of these bandits were frequently seen in the company of one of Cartanza's generals, during the very period that general was supposed to be hunting them down.

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Athens Situation Unsatisfactory.

Saloniki, June 20.—The situation at Athens is very unsatisfactory from the point of view of the allies. No solution is in sight. Demobilization of the Greek forces is not a fact, and the Skouloudis government is maintaining a defiant attitude.

as that now going on in Europe. "While we are not as well equipped reparding artillery ammunition, we have plenty on hand for anything that might develop in the Mexican situation. "The situation with regard to rifles and other equipment is generally well taken titude.

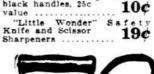
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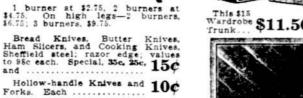
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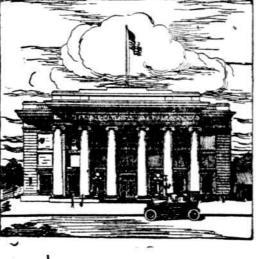
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